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RE: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, CC Docket No. 96-45

**TPUC Project No. 25787 - FCC Letters Regarding ETC Designation
Pursuant to FTA '96 § 214(e) (2)**

**TPUC Docket No. 35252 – Application of Texas RSA 7BS L.P. d/b/a/
Peoples Wireless Services for Designation as an Eligible
Telecommunications Carrier and an Eligible Telecommunications
Provider**

ETC Designation of Peoples Wireless

Pursuant to Section 214(e) (2) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act") and 47 C.F.R. sections 54.201 – 54.203, the Texas Public Utility Commission (TPUC) has granted eligible telecommunications carrier (ETC) designation to RSA 7BS L.P., d/b/a Peoples Wireless Services (Peoples Wireless). The attached *Order No. 3*, Docket No. 35252, issued on March 10, 2008, grants Peoples Wireless designation in the rural study area of Peoples

Wireless Telephone, Inc Cooperative, which is comprised of the exchanges of Ben Franklin, Campbell, Cypress Spring, Dry Creek, Glade Brance, Golden, Jim Hogg, Pecan Gap, Roxton, Sandy Creek, Talco, Wynnee and Yantis.

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Sincerely,

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